

Dear Sir or Madam,

I implore you to consider the negative affect that ruling in favor of LPFMs over existing FM translators will have on non-commercial stations, such as KLOVE. Many religious and other non-commercial broadcasters rely on these already licensed translators to help pay the bills, and bumping them off the air for "local" stations will do nothing to serve the community.

KLOVE is an example of a network that focuses heavily on the local areas they serve. With news programming, weather updates, and evening programs geared specifically at the local communities they serve, along with very professional and relevant national programming, I believe they better serve the local area than any LPFM station can. Additionally, a local area losing an established FM translator that listeners have come to rely on and support financially is in no way productive nor in the best interest of the public.

Please do not allow FM Translators to be bumped for LPFM stations.

Thank you.